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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

WALTER J. LEDERGERBER

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Group Art Unit: 3738

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REPLY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
1 month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$110.00
2 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$410.00
3 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$930.00
4 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$725.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,440.00
5 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$985.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,970.00

No extension fee is believed due with this request.

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**FEES FOR CLAIMS:**

Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below

	Currently Pending	Previously Paid for	Additional Claims	Fees	Totals
Total Claims	12	- 115 = 0	x	\$18.00	0
Independent Claims	1	- 7 = 0	x	\$86.00	0
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)		<input type="checkbox"/>	0
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>					0

Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.



<b>TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HEREWITH</b>	0
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Respectfully submitted,

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